

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
DALLAS DIVISION**

**LINDA ADAMS,**  
***Plaintiff,***

**v.**

**WAFFLE HOUSE, INC. D/B/A**  
**WAFFLE HOUSE,**  
***Defendant.***

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**Cause No. 3:21-CV-00837**

**JOINT REPORT OF SETTLEMENT NEGOTIATIONS**

In accordance with the Court's April 20, 2023 Electronic Order (Document No. 14) and December 21, 2021 Mediation Order (Document No. 9), Plaintiff Linda Adams and Defendant Waffle House, Inc. d/b/a Waffle House (the "Parties") file this Joint Report of Settlement Negotiations and would respectfully show the Court as follows:

Mediation was conducted on May 31, 2023, with Mike McCullough as mediator. The individual parties and their counsel appeared for the entirety of the mediation as set forth below:

**Plaintiff**

- (i) Taylor P. Adams, counsel for Plaintiff
- (ii) Linda Adams, Plaintiff

**Defendant**

- (iii) Meagan Z. Polk, counsel for Defendant
- (iv) Gregory J. Newman, Vice President and Litigation Counsel in his capacity as company representative for Defendant Waffle House, Inc.

The mediation began at 9:00 a.m. and lasted until approximately 11:00 a.m., at which time a settlement of all claims was reached. The Parties are in the process of securing settlement agreements and will file the appropriate dismissal documents with the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Taylor P. Adams w/Permission

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been forwarded to the following counsel in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Rules of this Court on this 5<sup>th</sup> of June, 2023.

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